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As to the Negroes-It has often been assumed that the negroes in this country increase in numbers much more rapidly than the whites; and we have often expressed the opinion as to that alleged fact that there was "nothing in it"; for as surely as that the white race is superior to black race will the former possess the earth to the exclusion of the latter whenever the necessities of the Caucasian shall demand the use of all the land for himself.

The institution of slavery was foredoomed to perish. It had the seeds of dissolution within itself. It substituted the negro for the Caucasian in the struggle for existence, and empowered the former to drive out the latter. In other words, it enabled the owners of slaves to acquire gradually all the land, and as white freemen could not without degradation work by the side of negro slaves, the landless whites were driven to the new States and Territories. The continued existence of the institution of slavery would have Africanized the South, just as and violation of the Constitution, and has the success of the Republican policy of using the Federal army to compel the southern whites to submit to negro rule would now Africanize the South.

bellum times saw this weak place in the in- lows a camel. stitution of slavery, and based their refusal to allow slavery to exist in the organized Territories upon the ground that to confine slavery within fixed bounds was to destroy Some of the more malicious enemies of all around it and compel it to sting itself to death.

masters the negroes, as we have seen, increased rapidly. Their rapid increase compelied their owners to buy more lands. intending to do it. We read in the Bible such indiscretion casus belli. that a like cause produced a like effect in Egypt thousands of years ago. waxed exceeding mighty and the land was filled with them." A new king said : "Be- ment,-Republican paper. hold the children of Israel are more and might have been invoked.

We shall be told that the census reports do | die. not show that in this country the negroes increased more rapidly in a condition of slavery than they have increased since they were made free. But the census of 1870 was totally untrustworthy. The census cannot set aside a law of nature.

The Petersburg Index-Appeal recently gave official figures which will astonish persons who have not studied the negro problem. We quote some of them. Our Petersburg contemporary credits them to the report of the Auditor of Virginia for 1887. The figures are for 1886:

"The total returns that separate the white and colored births and deaths show the fol-lowing facts for six cities out of fourteen and for over lifty counties out of one bun-

Excess of white births..... .6,042

"To every 100 colored births it will be noted there are 60 deaths, white to every 100 white births there are only 41 deaths. In short, white the white births exceed the colored by 2.694 the colored deaths in the same communities and localities, embracing every section of the Commonwealth, exceed the white by 298—the net gain of the white over the colored in one year for the population reported upon being 2,992."

as yet well provided for. For them matters will necessarily grow worse and worse as time passes. The emigration of northern and other whites to this State will result in a condition of things much more unfavorable to the pegroes than the present. This unfavorable condition of things will become worse very rapidly if the Federal Government shall undertake to "guarantee" to the government" which consists in allowing the negroes to rule a State because they constitute a majority of its citizens. We quote

and instructive:
"In Petersburg 185 whites were born and 216 died; but 202 colored were born and 360 died. The white births in Norfolk city ere 306, with 329 deaths; the colored irths there were 438, with 539 deaths, orismouth had 182 white births, with 133 eaths; and 128 colored births, with 135 eaths. Winchester had 79 white births and ed ones, to 38 white deaths and 35

to 553 whites and 165 died, and to 203 col-ored, with 211 deaths. In Amelia 73 whites and 82 colored were born, and 18 whites and and 82 colored were born, and 18 whites and 67 colored died. There were born in Appomistion 169 whites and 148 colored, 46 whites and 81 colored dying. Bath gave birth to 116 whites and 31 colored, while 24 whites and 16 colored died. Charles City bore 43 whites and buried 22; bore 103 colored and buried 55. In Dinwiddle 158 whites and 197 colored were born; 47 whites and 163 colored died. Frederick gave birth to 269 whites and 7 colored; 107 whites and 4 colored died. In Greene were 193 white births, and 60 deaths; 75 colored bieths, and 35 deaths; 358 whites were born and 98 died in Henry, with 302 births and 158 deaths for the colored. In Meckenburg 181 whites were born and 76 died; 310 the colored of the colored. and 158 deaths for the colored. In Meckienburg 181 whites were born and 78 died; 310 colored were born and 194 died. The births in Norfolk county were 223 whites and 267 colored; the deaths, 98 whites and 213 colored. Prince Edward has 102 white births, with 21 deaths; 312 colored births, with 151 deaths. The white births in Warren were 242, with 67 deaths; the colored births 64, with 53 deaths. In Wythe 362 whites were born, with 88 deaths; 51 colored, with 30 deaths. York brought forth 61 whites and 70 colored, and buried 25 whites and 48 colored.

in this country lifty years hence. "The stars in their courses fight against Sisera." The negroes will prove to be helpless in the

We don't knew that it was ever found necessary by either party in the United States Senate to refuse to vote in order to oresk a quorum. But inasmuch as the members of the House of Representatives have repeatedly resorted to this method of killing a bill, it may be assumed that the precedent will be followed in the Senate whenever it shall be considered absolutely neccessary to follow it. It is the only available means of defeating an objectionable measure favored by the majority. If the Democrats in the next House of Representatives find that they are unable to preak a quorum, it will become the duty of the Democrats in the Senate to call to their assistance the House tactics or

minority strategy. Thirty-pine is now the minimum number of a quorum in the Senate. Last Thursday. when Mr. Ingalls was elected President of the Senate over Mr. VOORHEES, the vote was 29 to 27. The Republicans bad ten less than a querum of their own, and succeeded in electing a President of the Senate only by the assistance of the Democrats (or ten of them) who voted for Mr. Voonnegs. If all the Democrats bad refused to vote no Presi-

dent could then have been chosen. It is expected that the four new States will elect eight Republican senators. It so, the Republicans will next winter have a majority of ten in the Senate, and will perhaps be able on occasion to muster a quorum of their own. We do not regard it as at all certain, however. There were no doubt times when SUNDAY MARCH 10, 1889. the Democrats, who had a majority of 116 to 118 in the last House of Representatives, could have mustered a quorum of their own, but they were never able to do so in a single instance when they needed such a quorum.

Strains at a Gnat. The Pittsburgh Dispatch is indignant over the "transparent evasion" involved in turning back the hands of the Senate clock on March the 4th in order to permit the transaction of some delayed business introductory

to the inauguration. The Dispatch says: "Men who have sworn to uphold the Constitution and who make the laws should set the example of obeying both, instead of the example of evading both by the most transparent devices."

It is a good sign to see a Republican paper protesting against evasions and violations of the Constitution, but the special case that has excited our Pittsburgh contemporary is a small matter compared with some of the evasions and violations of the Constitution justly chargable to its party. The fact is the Republican party is the offspring of contempt been purtured by and has battened upon unconstitutional methods. In view of the record of that party in its relations to the Constitution and the laws we rather think our Some of the northern Abolitionists of ante- Pittsburgh friend strains at a guat and swal-

There appears to be no question that the story about the Nussic and the Oiga is what the New York papers would call a "fake." However, should it prove true it would be the institution said they would build a fire | well for some of the hot-headed people of the country to find out who is to blame before they declare war. The sinking of an Ameri-Whilst under the guardianship of kind can vessel by a German vessel or vice versa would be a grave matter, but would not necessarily lead to hostilities between the United States and Germany. If there has been trou-Being much more able to purchase land ble at Samoa it was probably due to the inthan the whites who possessed no slaves, discretion of either the commander of the the slave-owners were gradually Afri- Nipsic or the commander of the Olga, and capizing the South-of course without neither country would be likely to make

The election of another member of the "The children of Israel were fruttful, and increased abundantly, and multiplied, and to healthy administration of public affairs so characteristic of the earlier years of Govern-

It is, on the contrary, another proof that mightier than we." "But the more they fraud and force triumphed in 1888. New afflicted them the more they multiplied and York elected HARRISON, and was carried for grew." Finally the king ordered that all the HARRISON by the negroes, who were made males should be killed. If some way of voters by force, or, saying nothing about the getting rid of slavery in this country bad negroes, was carried by the use of a corrupnot been devised it is possible that a remedy tion fund. The Democratic Gevernor was Interest on deposits and discount in as desperate as that resorted to in Egypt elected. So were all the Democratic State officers. CLEVELAND was defeated by " boo-

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ELNOKA LOTH.

RICHMOND, VA., February 18, 1899.

HAVING THIS DAY QUALIFIED
as executors of the estate of JOHN B.
DAVIS, deceased, all persons indebted to the estate are requested to come forward and make
payment. Those having claims against the estate will present the same properly authenticated.

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EXECUTOR, 1898 cast Franking street. age.

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We place on sale this week the newest effects in Plaid, Striped, and Plain Color Bress Goods-an immense assertment to select from, and all of the new styles of triumings and buitons to suit them.

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ad Grenadines for making wraps, and so make the first stress than you can buy the materials for.

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PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA. GUARANTEE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA.

ANUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING THE SIST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1888, NO FEW ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE GUARANTES COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA (INSURANCE COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PUBSUANT TO AN ACTOF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REGULATING THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES, APPROVED FEBRUARY 22, 1878.

Name of company in full—The Guarantee Company of North America.

Home of principal office of said company—157 James Street, Montreal.

Character of company—Guarantee only.

President—Six Alexander I, Galt.

Linguistic of the property of the company of the property of th President—Six Alexander I, Galt.
Vice-president and managing director—Edward Rawlings.
Accountain—Robers Karr.
Organized and incorporated—August 2, 1851.
Commenced business—Aprill, 1872.
Name of general agents in Virginia—Pleasants & Co.
Residence of general agents in Virginia—11014 Main Sterr, Richnond, Va.

The amount of subscribed capital stock of such corporation The amount of said capital stock paid up in each The amount still unpaid for ... The assets of said company, and a detailed statement of how and in what the same are in-

Value of real estate owned by the company.

Value of real estate owned by the company.

Loans on bond and mortgage (duly recorded and being first liens on the fee simple) upon which not more than one year's interest is due.

Loans on paid-up life policy.

Account of Stocks, Bonds, and Treasury Notes of the United Tates and of This State and Other States, and also of Stocks and Bonds of Incomposited Civiss in This State, and of All Other Stocks and Bonds Owned Absolutely by the Company.

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est due and accrued on stocks not included in "market value"....
s premiums in course of collection not more than three months due.
ther property belonging to the company—viz, furniture, including s III. LIABILITIES.

Net amount of unpaid losses, oss premiums without say deduction received and receivable upon all unex-pired guarantee risks running one year or less from date of policy, \$212,619.57; uncarred, 50 per cent, as per risk and premium schedule.

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL LIABILITIES, INCLUDING PAID-UP CAPITAL STOCK AND NET \$140,058 32 The inceme of said company during the preceding twelve months, and from what source de-# 25,792 99 . 259,349 15

Net cash actually received for premiums. \$212,544 07

Received for interest on bonds and mortgages. \$2,000 36

Income received from all other sources—viz.; claims recovered, \$7,178.09; balance of deposit on account Quebec tax act, 1884, new returned, \$125. 7,178.09; balance of Received for calls on capital. 4,5/0 00

ployees.

Paid for State, national, and local taxes in this and other States.

Paid for furniture. Paid for furniture.

All other payments and expenditures—viz., advertising, rent and taxes, printing and stationery, inspection and revision departments (outside sundry office charges), postage, parcels, and telegrams, and law charges.

AGGREGATS AMOUNT OF ACTUAL EXPENSES DURING THE YEAR.....

Sworn to in the city of Montreal, Dominion of Canada, on the 29th of January, 188), by EDWARD RAWLINGS, vice president, and ROBERT ERRS, accountant, before EDWARD W. H. PRILLIPS, a notary public and commissioner of the Superior Court.

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INSURANCE STATEMENTS. UBLISHED BY AUTHORITY OF THE AUDITOR OF

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORA-

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FIRCAL TRAB ENDING THE MET DAY OF DECREBEG, 188, OF THE ACTUAL CONDITION OF THE LONDON ASSUBANCE COMPORATION PIRE.INSURANCE COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF GREAT BEHTAIN, MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF FURLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE COMMON. WEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO ACT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MEMORIAN THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANICS APPROVED FERRULARY. COMPANIES, APPROVED FEBRUARY

Name of the Company in full-THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.
Home or principal office of said Company in the United States—6 Wall STREET, New York, Governor—Gronge W. Cleptreit.
Manager in the United States—Gronge H. Marks.

AREA Secretary in London—J. P. Laurence. Organized and incorporated—A. D. 1720 Commenced business in the United States

L CAPITAL.

Stocks and bonds.

(Sesh in Company's principal office.

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(San in Company's principal office.

(San in Company deposited in Bank of New York, \$41,917.11)

Merchants Bank, Chicago, \$35,400.01; Bank Erilich, Columbia, \$2,823.59—total, \$1,200.90

AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF ALL THE AN-SETS OF THE COMPANY, STATED AT THEIR ACTUAL VALUE....... IL LIABILITIES.

The Habilities of of said Company: Net amount of unpaid losses. Gross premiums received and receivable upon all ning one year or less from date of policy, including interest premiums on perpetual fire risks, \$617,-351.50.

Gross premiums received and receivable upon all unexpired fire risks, running more than one year from date of policy, \$407, 500,54

capital stock and not surplus. Surplus beyond capital and all other liabilities. AGGERGATE AMOUNT OF ALL LIABILITIES, INCLUDING PAINTUP CAPITAL STOCK AND NET SURPLUS. \$1,500,041;

IV. INCOME.

The income of said Company during the preceding twelve months, and from what source derived.

For fire in cash, without any de-duction. \$981,84 us Deduct only reinsurance, robate, abateonral, and return promiums. 144,292 16

Not cash actually received for promittine. teceived for interest and dividend on stocks and bonds, collaters loans, and from all other sources. V. EXPENDITURES.

et amount paid during the year to losses.
Paid for commissions or bracerage.
Faid for salaries, fees, and all other employees
Paid for State, estimate, and all other employees
Paid for State, national, and incur taxes in this and other States.
All other payments and expenditures—viz, interest on borowel money, altertising, stationery, postage, etc.

GEORGETT MATERIAL

STATE OF NEW YORK, CITY AND COURTY OF NEW .. \$ 2,227 51

last day of to heral year - to all, the lies becomen, less according to the best of the formation, knowledge and beitef, respectively. In testinony whereast, I have seen to see the lies of my office, on the lift day of ary, 1892.

ACHN A. HILLEHY.

1103 Main street, Richmond, Va. DENN MUTUAL LIFE-INSURANCE

ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE FISCH YEAR ENDING THE HISTORY OF DELIGHER, 1885, OF THE ACTUAL CONDITIONS OF THE FENN MUTUAL LIFETISSURANG COMPANY, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAW OF THE STATE OF TENNSULVANIA, MAD TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIGINIAL PURSUANT TO THE CODE OF VIGURAL CHAPTER SE, SECTIONS IESO AND 1924, AND GULATING THE REPORTS OF INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Name of the company to full-THE PENN TEAL LIFE-INSTRUCT COMPANY. Home or principal office of said company AND BUCKESTNET STREET, PHILADRIPHIA, P Character of the company, whether life, deut, meanity city op-operative association, therhood, live-slock, or any other association suring file-LIFE. President-Howard M. NEEDLES. Vice-President-Horatio S. STREETES. Necretary and Treasurer-HENRY C. BROW Organized and theory-raid-FREETES.

1847.

Commenced business—MAY 25, 1847.

Name of the general agents in Virginta-Figure 1848.

Residence of the general agent in Virginia-Richards. The number of polices issued du-

ring the year
The amount of insurance effected thereby \$14,530,744 to
The amount of premiums received The amount of premiums received during the year.

The amount of interest received and all other receipts.

The amount of losses and endowments paid during the year.

The amount of losses unpaid awaiting proof.

The amount of losses unpaid awaiting proof.

The amount of expanses.

The whole number of policies in force. The amount of Habilities or that thereon, and all other Habilities, 445 per cent (estimated). 11,700.

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MONEY TO LOAN. mb ? MONEY, MONEY, TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LEND.

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Amount of dividends..... PLEASANTS & WORTHAM, GENERAL AGENTS. 1113 Main street, Richmond, Va.

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